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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Katsuya Matsunaga;

For (title): INPUT UNIT AND INFORMATION PROCESSING UNIT

1. Type of Application

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

2. Papers Enclosed

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. SECTIONS 1.8(a) AND 1.10*

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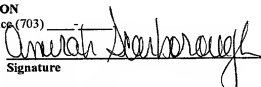
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- A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application

20 Page(s) of Specification
6 Page(s) of Claims
11 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Formal

- B. Other Papers Enclosed

2 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney
1 Page(s) of abstract

3. ✓ Assignment

An assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation; Armonk, NY is attached. A separate "RECORDATION COVER SHEET" is also attached.

4. Transmittal of Certified Copy

Attached please find the certified copy of the foreign application from which priority is claimed for this case:

Country: JAPAN

Application Number: 2001-062472

Filing Date: MAR 6, 2001

5. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED

Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$740.00
Total Claims	28	20	8	\$18.00	\$144.00
Independent Claims	2	3	0	\$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims					\$0.00
Filing Fee Calculation					\$884.00

6. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

Enclosed

Filing Fee

\$884.00

Recording assignment (\$40; 37 C.F.R. Section 1.21(h)) (See attached "RECORDATION COVER SHEET"). \$40.00

Total Fees Enclosed

\$924.00

7. Method of Payment of Fees

Charge Account No. 09-1990 in the amount of \$924.00.
A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

8. **Authorization to Charge Additional Fees**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 09-1990.

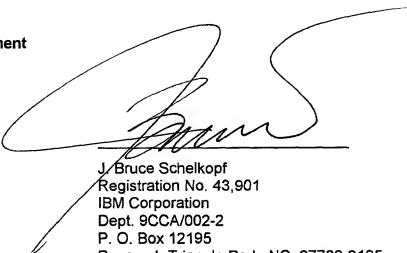
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9. **Instructions as to Overpayment**

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